

PATENT
Attorney Docket No. 10491/2

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)

Inventor: Jeff DAVISON)

Serial No.: 09/882,494)

Filing Date: June 15, 2001)

For: **WEB-BASED COLLABORATIVE**)
DATA COLLECTION SYSTEM)

Examiner: Moustafa M. Meky

Group Art Unit: 2157

RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Mail-Stop AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Restriction Requirement dated December 6, 2004 and is submitted concurrently with a petition for three-month extension of time, extending the due date to April 6, 2005. In the Restriction Requirement, election was required between Group I consisting of claims 1-41, drawn to Client/Server; and Group II consisting of claims 42-43, drawn to computer-to-computer data framing.


Applicant respectfully traverses the restriction requirement, but provisionally elects Group I, consisting of claims 1-41, for prosecution on the merits. Applicant respectfully reserves

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the right to file one or more divisional and/or continuing applications claiming the subject matter
of the non-elected claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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